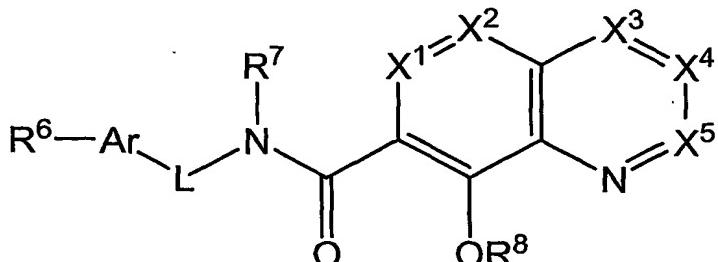


CLAIMS:

1. A compound having the formula:



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or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, and including enol and tautomeric resonance isomers;

wherein:

X¹ is CR¹, NR, or N;

10 X² is CR², NR, or N;

X³ is CR³, NR, or N;

X⁴ is CR⁴, NR, or N;

X⁵ is CR⁵, NR, or N;

at least one of X¹, X², X³, X⁴, and X⁵ is NR or N;

15 R¹, R², R³, R⁴, R⁵, R⁶, R⁷ and R⁸ are independently selected from H, F, Cl, Br, I, OH, amino (-NH₂), ammonium (-NH₃⁺), alkylamino, dialkylamino, trialkylammonium, C₁-C₈ alkyl, C₁-C₈ alkylhalide, carboxylate, sulfate, sulfamate, sulfonate, 5-7 membered ring sultam, C₁-C₈ alkylsulfonate, C₁-C₈ alkylamino, 4-dialkylaminopyridinium, C₁-C₈ alkylhydroxyl, C₁-C₈ alkylthiol, alkylsulfone (-SO₂R), arylsulfone (-SO₂Ar), arylsulfoxide (-SOAr), arylthio (-SAr), sulfonamide (-SO₂NR₂), alkylsulfoxide (-SOR), formyl (-CHO), ester (-C(=O)OR), amido (-C(=O)NR₂), 5-7 membered ring lactam, 5-7 membered ring lactone, nitrile (-CN), azido (-N₃), nitro (-NO₂), C₁-C₈ alkoxy (-OR), C₁-C₈ alkyl, C₁-C₈ substituted alkyl, C₆-C₂₀ aryl, C₆-C₂₀ substituted aryl, C₂-C₂₀ heteroaryl, and C₂-C₂₀ substituted heteroaryl, phosphonate, phosphate, polyethyleneoxy, and a prodrug moiety; or
20 when X¹ is CR¹ and when X² is CR², then CR¹ and CR² together may form a ring; when X³ is CR³ and when X⁴ is CR⁴, then CR³ and CR⁴ together may form a ring; or when X⁴ is CR⁴

and X^5 is CR^5 , then CR^4 and CR^5 together may form a ring; wherein the ring is 5, 6, or 7-membered;

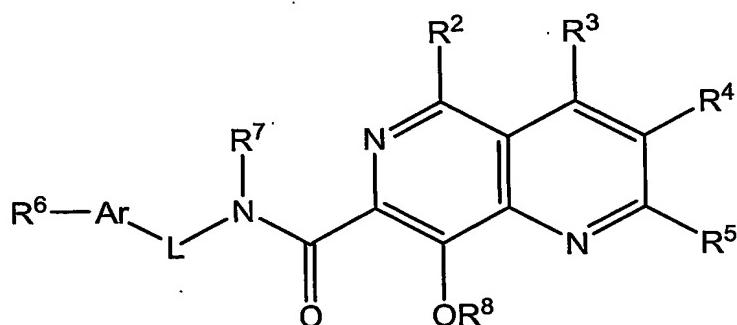
R is independently selected from H, C₁–C₈ alkyl, C₁–C₈ substituted alkyl, C₆–C₂₀ aryl, C₆–C₂₀ substituted aryl, C₂–C₂₀ heteroaryl, and C₂–C₂₀ substituted heteroaryl;

5 L is selected from a bond, O, S, NR, N–OR, C₁–C₁₂ alkylene, C₁–C₁₂ substituted alkylene, C₂–C₁₂ alkenylene, C₂–C₁₂ substituted alkenylene, C₂–C₁₂ alkynylene, C₂–C₁₂ substituted alkynylene, C(=O)NH, C(=O), S(=O)₂, C(=O)NH(CH₂)_n, and (CH₂CH₂O)_n, where n may be 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6; and

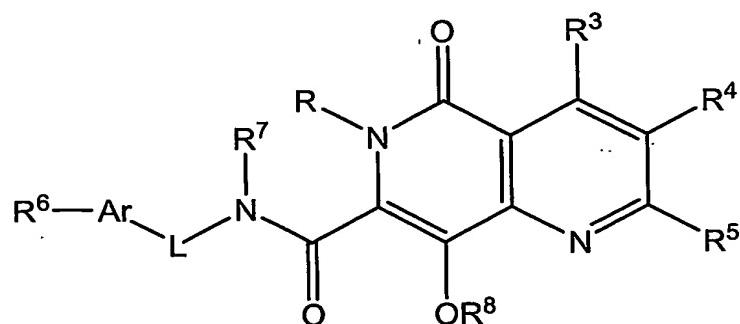
10 Ar is covalently attached to L and to one or more R⁶ and Ar is selected from C₆–C₂₀ aryl, C₆–C₂₀ substituted aryl, C₂–C₂₀ heteroaryl, and C₂–C₂₀ substituted heteroaryl;

where at least one of R, R¹, R², R³, R⁴, R⁵, R⁶, R⁷ and R⁸ comprises a phosphonate group.

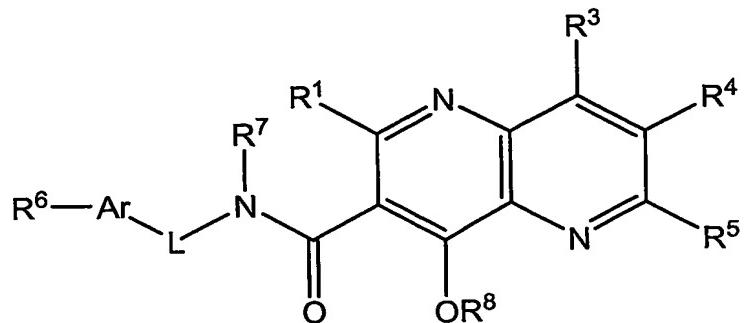
2. A compound according to claim 1 having the formula:



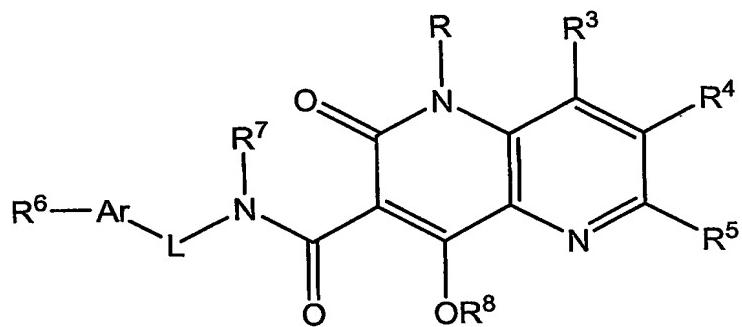
15 3. A compound according to claim 1 having the formula:



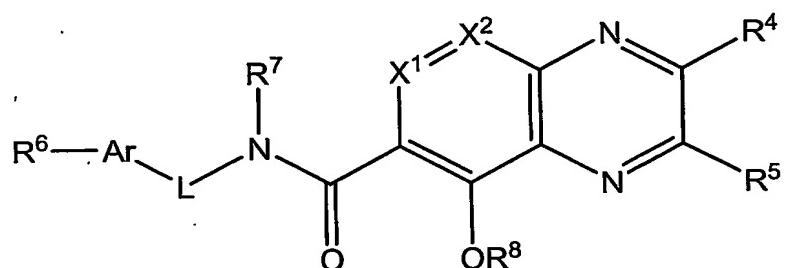
4. A compound according to claim 1 having the formula:



5. A compound according to claim 1 having the formula:

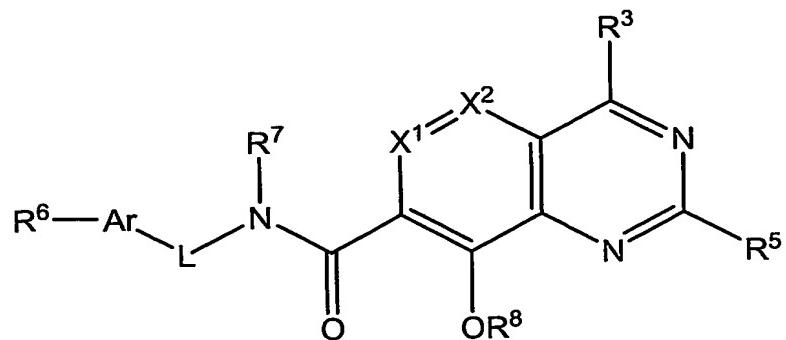


6. A compound according to claim 1 having the formula:

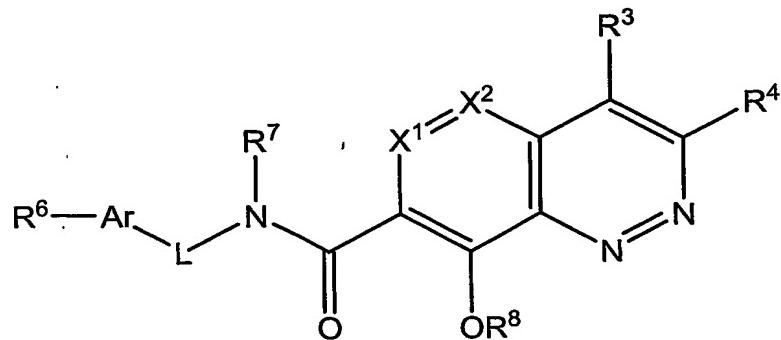


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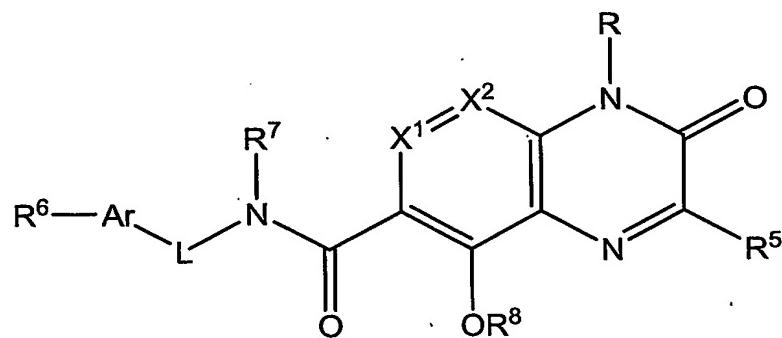
7. A compound according to claim 1 having the formula:



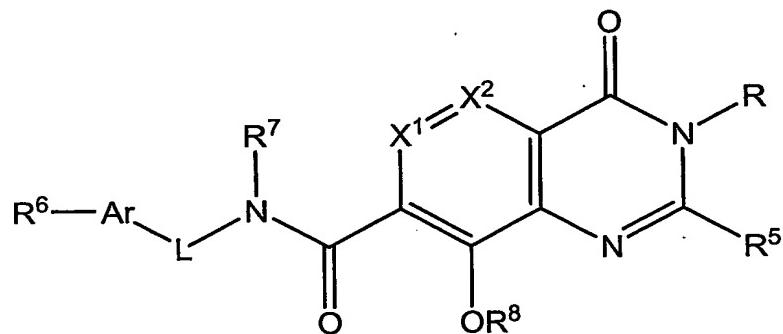
8. A compound according to claim 1 having the formula:



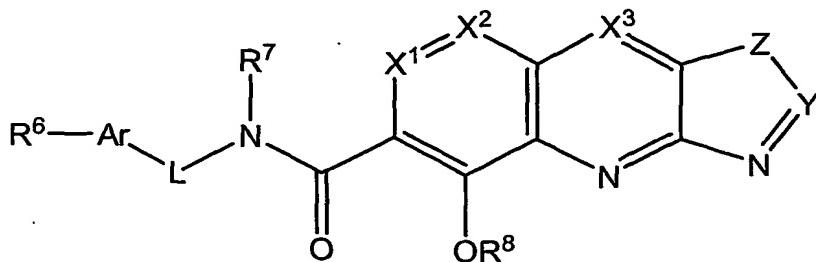
9. A compound according to claim 1 having the formula:



5 10. A compound according to claim 1 having the formula:



11. A compound according to claim 1 having the formula:



wherein

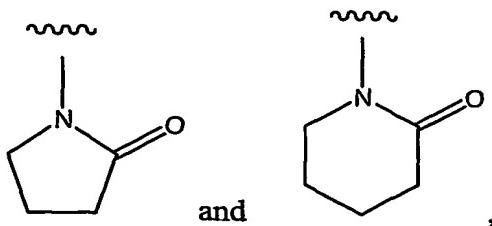
Y is CR⁵, NR or N; and

Z is selected from O, S, NR, CR₂, CROR, CROC(=O)R, C(=O), C(=S), CRSR,

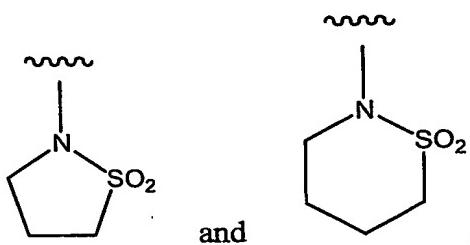
- 5 C(=NR₂), C=CR₂, CR₂—CR₂, CR=CR, NR—CR₂, N=CR, N=N, SO₂—NR, C(=O)CR₂,
S(=O)CR₂, SO₂CR₂, C(=O)NR, CR₂—CR₂—CR₂, CR=CR—CR₂, CRC(=O)NR, CR₂SO₂CR₂,
CR₂SO₂NR, CRC(=S)NR, CR=N—CR₂, CR=N—NR, or N=CR—NR.

12. The compound of claim 1 wherein substituted alkylene, substituted alkenylene, substituted alkynylene, substituted aryl, and substituted heteroaryl are independently substituted with one or more substituents selected from F, Cl, Br, I, OH, amino (—NH₂), ammonium (—NH₃⁺), alkylamino, dialkylamino, trialkylammonium, C₁—C₈ alkyl, C₁—C₈ alkylhalide, carboxylate, sulfate, sulfamate, sulfonate, 5-7 membered ring sultam, C₁—C₈ alkylsulfonate, C₁—C₈ alkylamino, 4-dialkylaminopyridinium, C₁—C₈ alkylhydroxyl, C₁—C₈ alkylthiol, alkylsulfone (—SO₂R), arylsulfone (—SO₂Ar), arylsulfoxide (—SOAr), arylthio (—SAr), sulfonamide (—SO₂NR₂), alkylsulfoxide (—SOR), ester (—C(=O)OR), amido (—C(=O)NR₂), 5-7 membered ring lactam, 5-7 membered ring lactone, nitrile (—CN), azido (—N₃), nitro (—NO₂), C₁—C₈ alkoxy (—OR), C₁—C₈ alkyl, C₁—C₈ substituted alkyl, C₆—C₂₀ aryl, C₆—C₂₀ substituted aryl, C₂—C₂₀ heteroaryl, and C₂—C₂₀ substituted heteroaryl, phosphonate, phosphate, polyethyleneoxy, and a prodrug moiety.

- 20 13. A compound of claim 1 wherein X² is CR² and R² is selected from H, OH, OC(=O)OR, OC(=O)NR₂, OC(=O)R, OSO₂NR₂ (sulfamate), NR₂, NRSO₂R, SR, S(O)R, SO₂R or SO₂NR₂ (sulfonamide), lactam having the structures:



sultam having the structures:

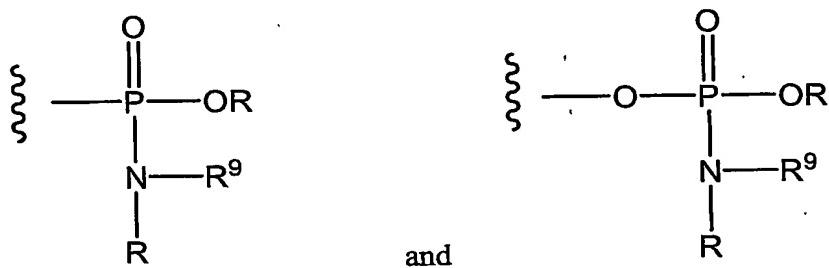


and a prodrug moiety.

14. The compound of claim 1 wherein L is CH₂ and Ar is substituted phenyl.

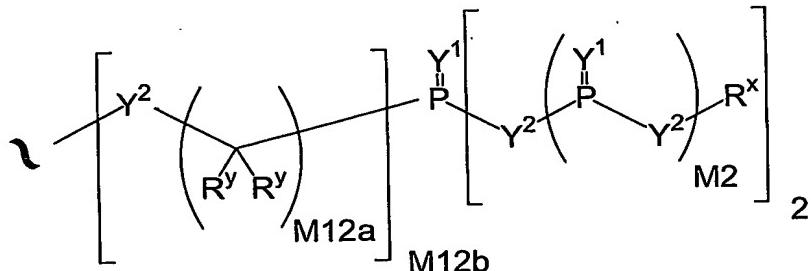
5 15. The compound of claim 1 where L is CH₂ and Ar is 4-fluorophenyl.

16. The compound of claim 1 wherein at least one of R¹, R², R³, R⁴, R⁵, R⁶, R⁷
and R⁸ comprise a prodrug moiety selected from the structures:



wherein R⁹ is comprised of an ester, an amide, or a carbamate.

10 17. The compound of claim 1 wherein the phosphonate group has the structure:



wherein:

Y¹ is independently O, S, N(R^x), N(O)(R^x), N(OR^x), N(O)(OR^x), or N(N(R^x))(R^x);

Y² is independently a bond, O, N(R^x), N(O)(R^x), N(OR^x), N(O)(OR^x), N(N(R^x))(R^x)),

15 -S(O)- (sulfoxide), -S(O)₂- (sulfone), -S- (sulfide), or -S-S- (disulfide);

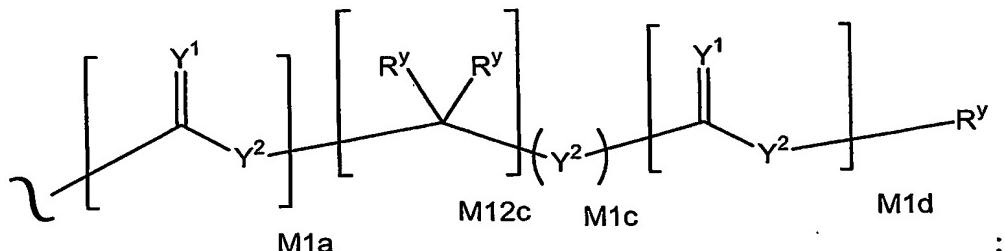
M2 is 0, 1 or 2;

M12a is 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12;

M12b is 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12;

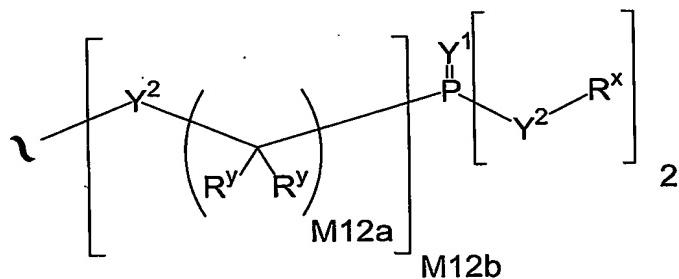
R^y is independently H, alkyl, substituted alkyl, aryl, substituted aryl, or a protecting group, or where taken together at a carbon atom, two vicinal R^y groups form a carbocycle or a heterocycle; and

5 R^x is independently H, alkyl, substituted alkyl, aryl, substituted aryl, or a protecting group, or the formula:

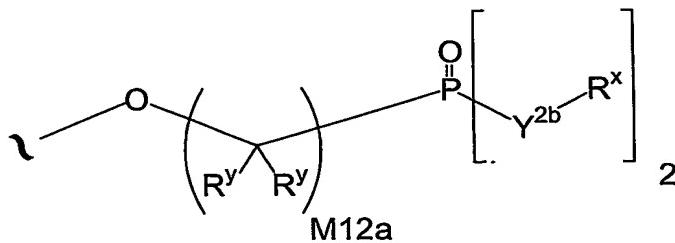


where M1a, M1c, and M1d are independently 0 or 1, and M12c is 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 or 12.

10 18. The compound of claim 17 wherein phosphonate group has the structure:

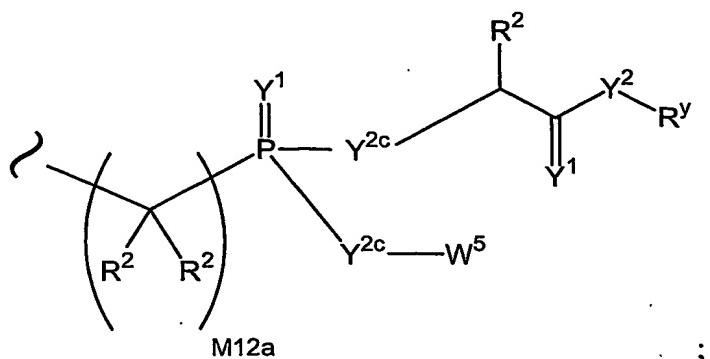


19. The compound of claim 18 wherein phosphonate group has the structure:



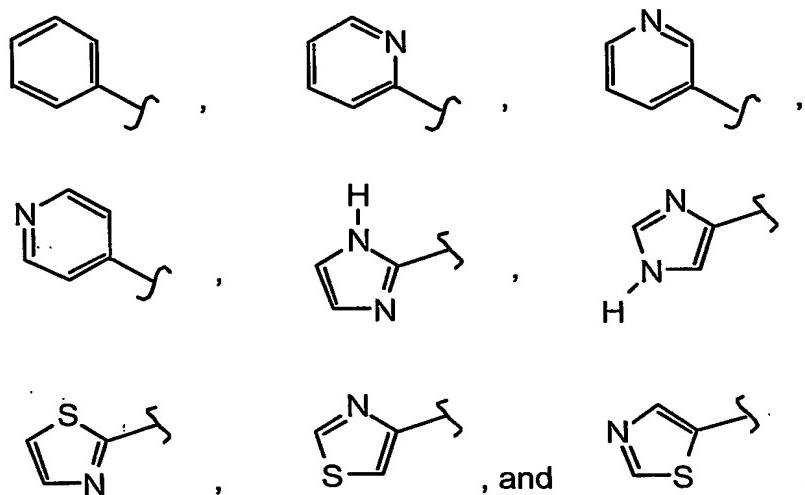
where Y^{2b} is O or N(R^x).

15 20. The compound of claim 18 wherein phosphonate group has the structure:

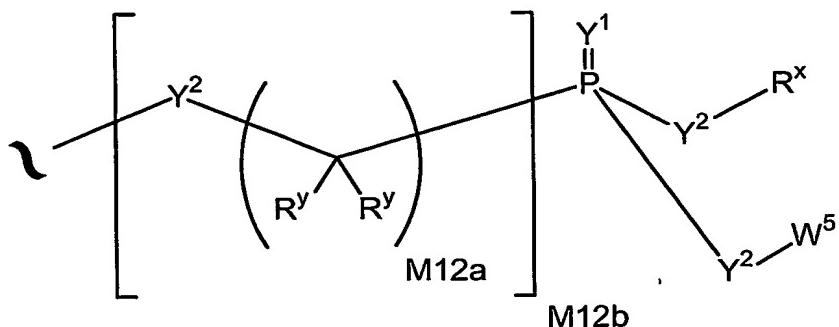


where W⁵ is a carbocycle, and Y^{2c} is O, N(R^y) or S.

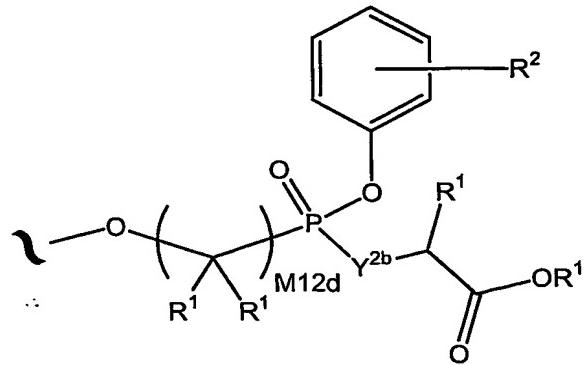
21. The compound of claim 20 wherein W⁵ is selected from the structures:



5 22. The compound of claim 17 wherein phosphonate group has the structure:

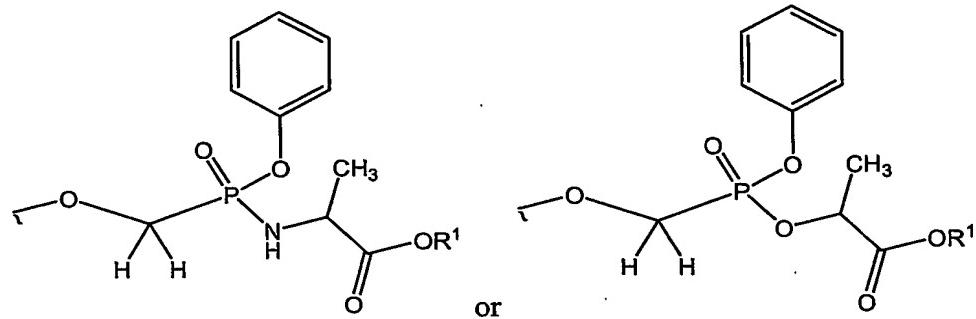


23. The compound of claim 22 wherein phosphonate group has the structure:

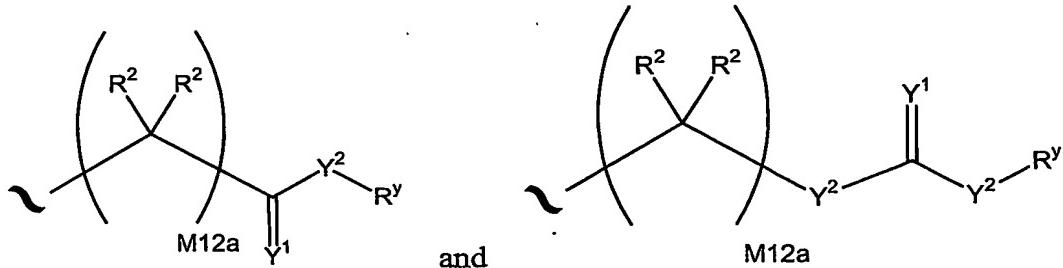


wherein Y^{2b} is O or $N(R^x)$; M12d is 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 or 8; R^1 is H or C_1-C_6 alkyl; and the phenyl carbocycle is substituted with 0 to 3 R^2 groups where R^2 is C_1-C_6 alkyl or substituted alkyl.

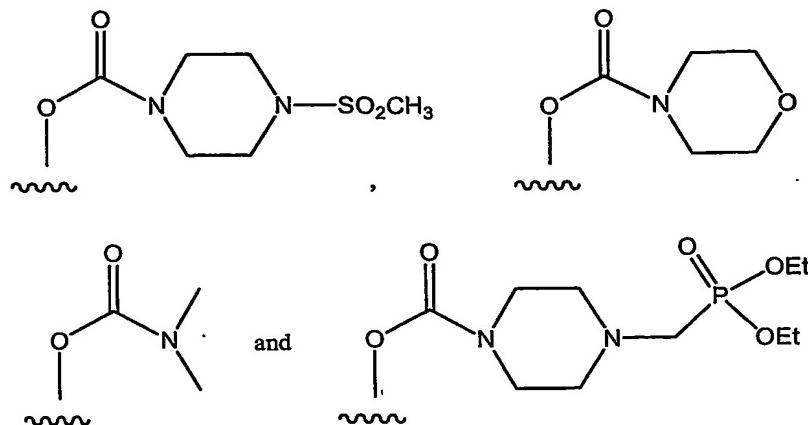
5 24. The compound of claim 23 wherein phosphonate group has the structure:



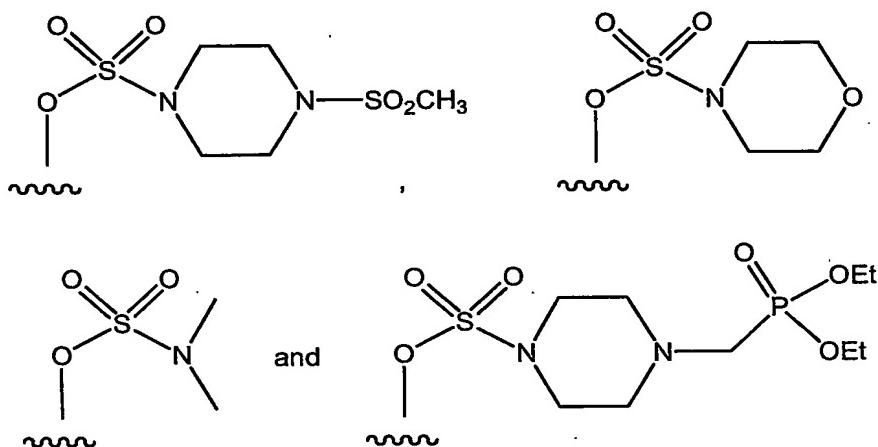
25. The compound of claim 17 wherein R^x is selected from the structures:



10 26. The compound of claim 25 wherein X^2 is CR^2 and R^2 is selected from the structures:

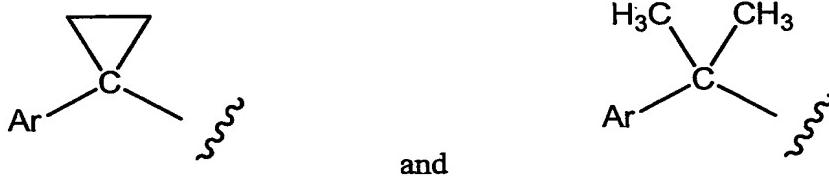


27. The compound of claim 25 wherein X^2 is CR^2 and R^2 is selected from the structures:

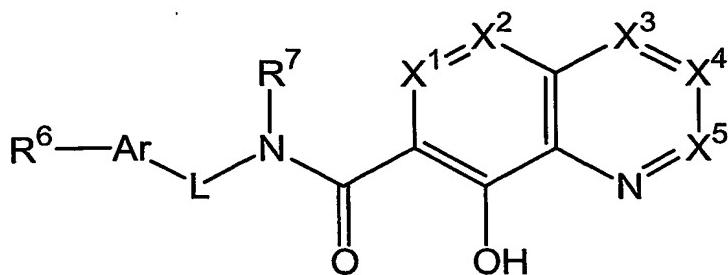


5 28. A compound of claim 1 wherein X^2 is CR^2 and R^2 comprises a phosphonate prodrug moiety.

29. The compound of claim 1 wherein Ar-L is selected from the structures:



10 30. A compound having the formula:



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, and including enol and tautomeric resonance isomers;

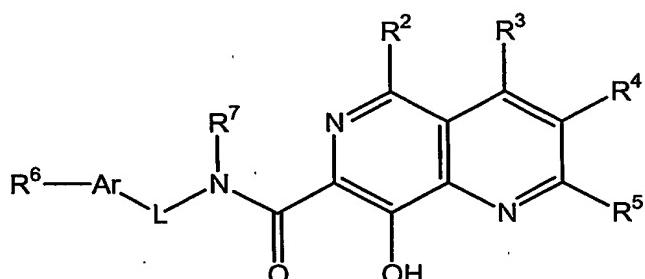
wherein:

- 5 X^1 is CR¹, NR, or N;
- X^2 is CR², NR, or N;
- X^3 is CR³, NR, or N;
- X^4 is CR⁴, NR, or N;
- X^5 is CR⁵, NR, or N;
- 10 at least one of X^1 , X^2 , X^3 , X^4 , and X^5 is NR or N;
- R¹, R², R³, R⁴, R⁵, R⁶, and R⁷ are independently selected from H, F, Cl, Br, I, OH, amino ($-NH_2$), ammonium ($-NH_3^+$), alkylamino, dialkylamino, trialkylammonium, C₁–C₈ alkyl, C₁–C₈ alkylhalide, carboxylate, sulfate, sulfamate, sulfonate, 5-7 membered ring sultam, C₁–C₈ alkylsulfonate, C₁–C₈ alkylamino, 4-dialkylaminopyridinium, C₁–C₈ alkylhydroxyl, C₁–C₈ alkylthiol, alkylsulfone ($-SO_2R$), arylsulfone ($-SO_2Ar$), arylsulfoxide ($-SOAr$), arylthio ($-SAr$), sulfonamide ($-SO_2NR_2$), alkylsulfoxide ($-SOR$), formyl ($-CHO$), ester ($-C(=O)OR$), amido ($-C(=O)NR_2$), 5-7 membered ring lactam, 5-7 membered ring lactone, nitrile ($-CN$), azido ($-N_3$), nitro ($-NO_2$), C₁–C₈ alkoxy ($-OR$), C₁–C₈ alkyl, C₁–C₈ substituted alkyl, C₆–C₂₀ aryl, C₆–C₂₀ substituted aryl, C₂–C₂₀ heteroaryl, and C₂–C₂₀ substituted heteroaryl; or when X^1 is CR¹ and when X^2 is CR², then CR¹ and CR² together may form a ring; when X^3 is CR³ and when X^4 is CR⁴, then CR³ and CR⁴ together may form a ring; or when X^4 is CR⁴ and X^5 is CR⁵, then CR⁴ and CR⁵ together may form a ring; wherein the ring is 5, 6, or 7-membered;
- 20 R is independently selected from H, C₁–C₈ alkyl, C₁–C₈ substituted alkyl, C₆–C₂₀ aryl, C₆–C₂₀ substituted aryl, C₂–C₂₀ heteroaryl, and C₂–C₂₀ substituted heteroaryl;
- 25

L is selected from a bond, O, S, NR, N—OR, C₁—C₁₂ alkylene, C₁—C₁₂ substituted alkylene, C₂—C₁₂ alkenylene, C₂—C₁₂ substituted alkenylene, C₂—C₁₂ alkynylene, C₂—C₁₂ substituted alkynylene, C(=O)NH, C(=O), S(=O)₂, C(=O)NH(CH₂)_n, and (CH₂CH₂O)_n, where n may be 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6; and

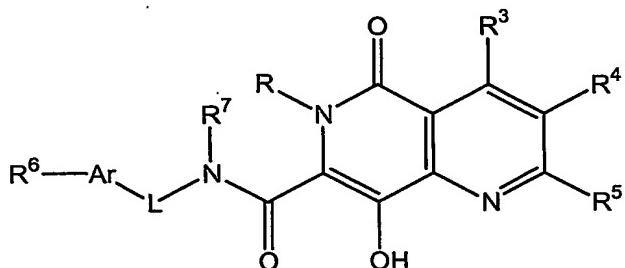
5 Ar is covalently attached to L and to one or more R⁶ and Ar is selected from C₆—C₂₀ aryl, C₆—C₂₀ substituted aryl, C₂—C₂₀ heteroaryl, and C₂—C₂₀ substituted heteroaryl; where at least one of R, R¹, R², R³, R⁴, R⁵, R⁶, and R⁷ comprises a phosphonate group.

31. A compound according to claim 30 having the formula:

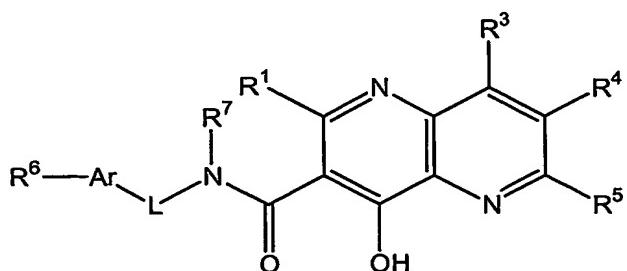


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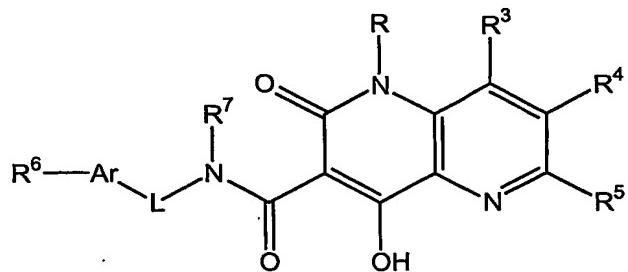
32. A compound according to claim 30 having the formula:



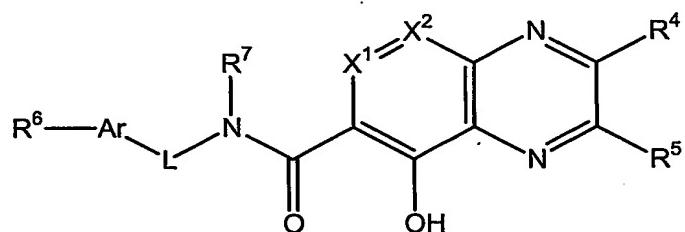
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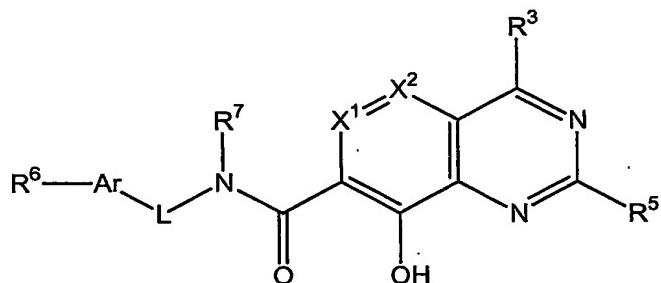
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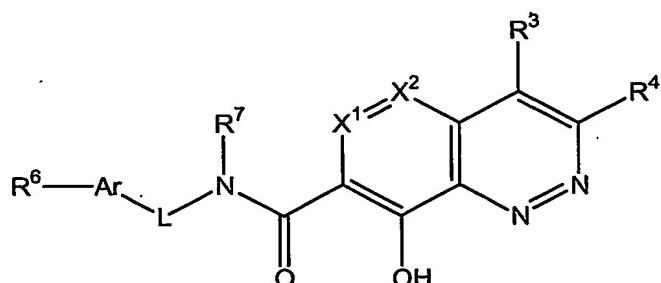
35. A compound according to claim 30 having the formula:



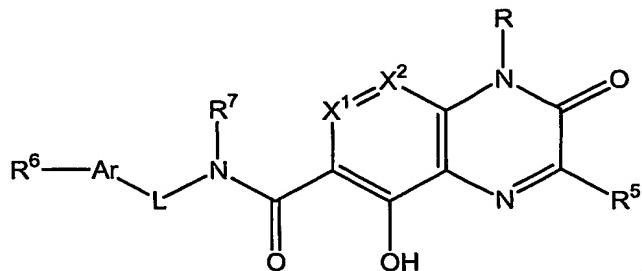
5 36. A compound according to claim 30 having the formula:



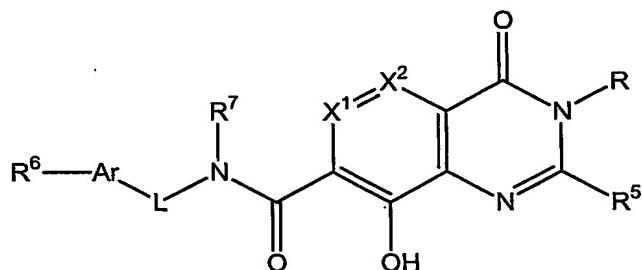
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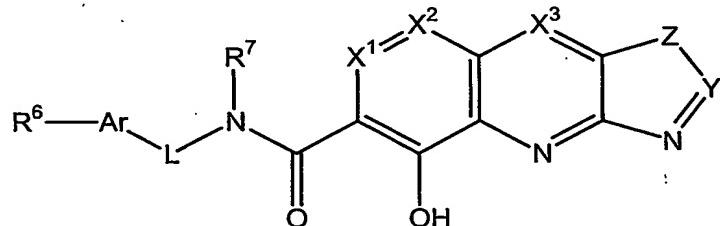
38. A compound according to claim 30 having the formula:



39. A compound according to claim 30 having the formula:



5 40. A compound according to claim 30 having the formula:



wherein

Y is CR⁵, NR or N; and

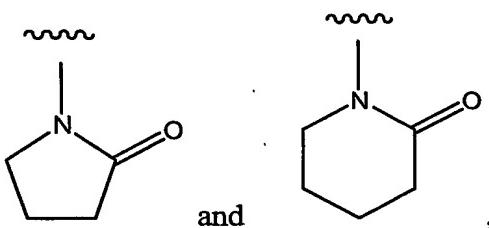
Z is selected from O, S, NR, CR₂, CROR, CROC(=O)R, C(=O), C(=S), CRSR,

10 C(=NR₂), C=CR₂, CR₂-CR₂, CR=CR, NR-CR₂, N=CR, N=N, SO₂-NR, C(=O)CR₂, S(=O)CR₂, SO₂CR₂, C(=O)NR, CR₂-CR₂-CR₂, CR=CR-CR₂, CRC(=O)NR, CR₂SO₂CR₂, CR₂SO₂NR, CRC(=S)NR, CR=N-CR₂, CR=N-NR, or N=CR-NR.

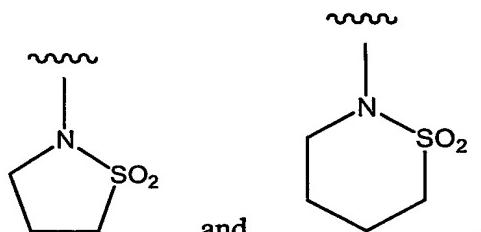
41. The compound of claim 30 wherein substituted alkylene, substituted alkylenylene, substituted alkynylene, substituted aryl, and substituted heteroaryl are independently substituted with one or more substituents selected from F, Cl, Br, I, OH, amino (-NH₂), ammonium (-NH₃⁺), alkylamino, dialkylamino, trialkylammonium, C₁-C₈ alkyl, C₁-C₈ alkylhalide, carboxylate, sulfate, sulfamate, sulfonate, 5-7 membered ring

sultam, C₁–C₈ alkylsulfonate, C₁–C₈ alkylamino, 4-dialkylaminopyridinium, C₁–C₈ alkylhydroxyl, C₁–C₈ alkylthiol, alkylsulfone (–SO₂R), arylsulfone (–SO₂Ar), arylsulfoxide (–SOAr), arylthio (–SAr), sulfonamide (–SO₂NR₂), alkylsulfoxide (–SOR), ester (–C(=O)OR), amido (–C(=O)NR₂), 5-7 membered ring lactam, 5-7 membered ring lactone, 5 nitrile (–CN), azido (–N₃), nitro (–NO₂), C₁–C₈ alkoxy (–OR), C₁–C₈ alkyl, C₁–C₈ substituted alkyl, C₆–C₂₀ aryl, C₆–C₂₀ substituted aryl, C₂–C₂₀ heteroaryl, and C₂–C₂₀ substituted heteroaryl, phosphonate, phosphate, polyethyleneoxy, and a prodrug moiety.

42. A compound of claim 30 wherein X² is CR² and R² is selected from H, OH, OC(=O)OR, OC(=O)NR₂, OC(=O)R, OSO₂NR₂ (sulfamate), NR₂, NRSO₂R, SR, S(O)R, 10 SO₂R or SO₂NR₂ (sulfonamide), lactam having the structures:



sultam having the structures:

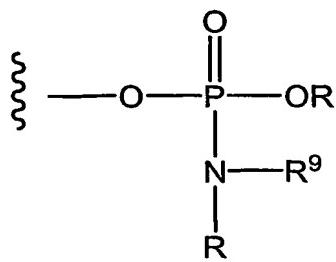
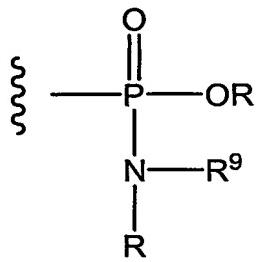


and a prodrug moiety.

15 43. The compound of claim 30 wherein L is CH₂ and Ar is substituted phenyl.

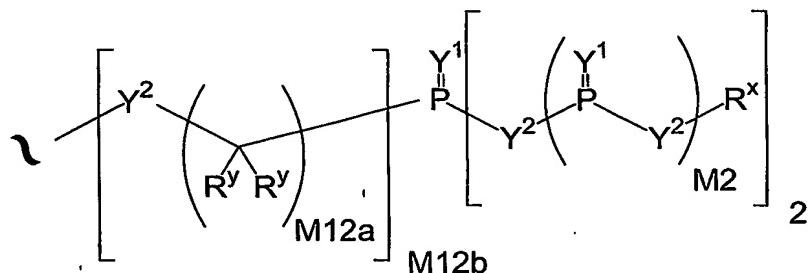
44. The compound of claim 30 where L is CH₂ and Ar is 4-fluorophenyl.

45. The compound of claim 30 wherein at least one of R¹, R², R³, R⁴, R⁵, R⁶, and R⁷ comprise a prodrug moiety selected from the structures:



wherein R⁹ is comprised of an ester, an amide, or a carbamate.

46. The compound of claim 30 wherein the phosphonate group has the structure:



5 wherein:

Y¹ is independently O, S, N(R¹), N(O)(R¹), N(OR¹), N(O)(OR¹), or N(N(R¹))(R¹);

Y² is independently a bond, O, N(R¹), N(O)(R¹), N(OR¹), N(O)(OR¹), N(N(R¹))(R¹), -S(O)- (sulfoxide), -S(O)₂- (sulfone), -S- (sulfide), or -S-S- (disulfide);

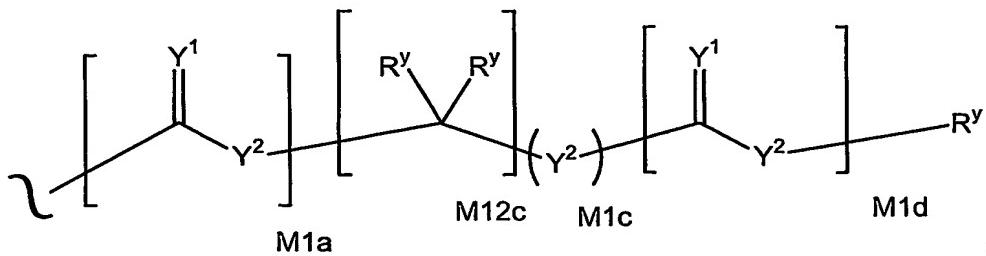
M2 is 0, 1 or 2;

10 M12a is 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12;

 M12b is 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12;

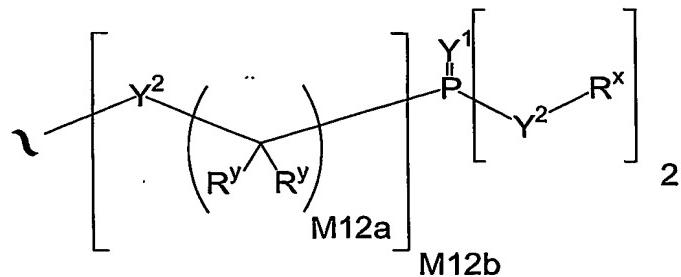
 R¹ is independently H, alkyl, substituted alkyl, aryl, substituted aryl, or a protecting group, or where taken together at a carbon atom, two vicinal R¹ groups form a carbocycle or a heterocycle; and

15 R² is independently H, alkyl, substituted alkyl, aryl, substituted aryl, or a protecting group, or the formula:



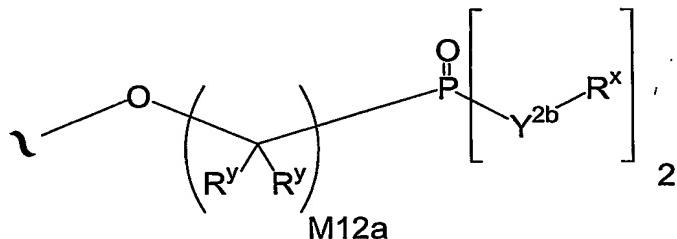
where M1a, M1c, and M1d are independently 0 or 1, and M12c is 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 or 12.

47. The compound of claim 46 wherein phosphonate group has the structure:



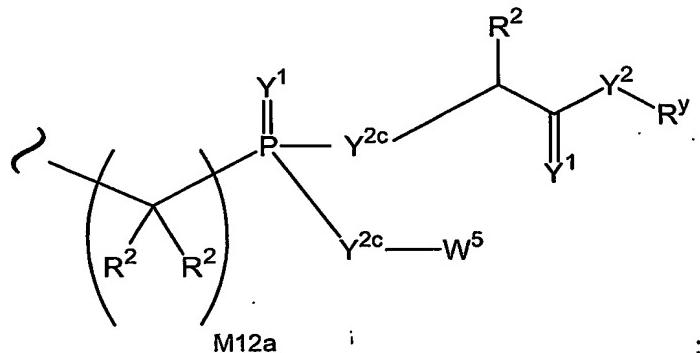
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48. The compound of claim 47 wherein phosphonate group has the structure:



where Y^{2b} is O or $N(R^x)$.

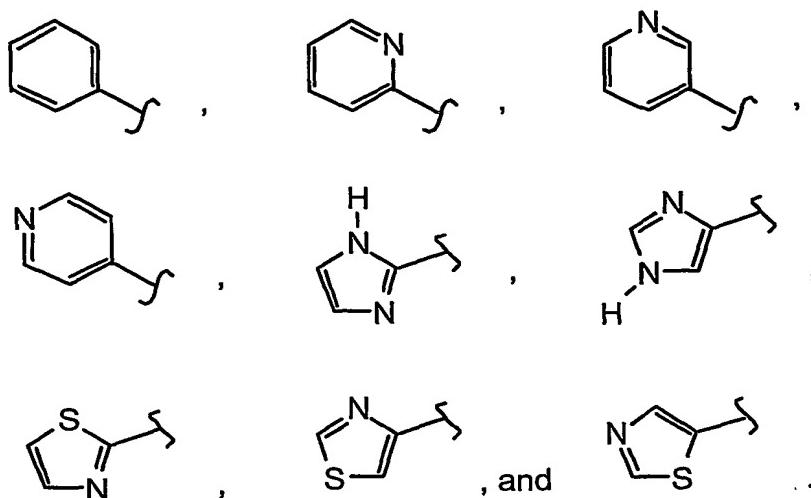
49. The compound of claim 47 wherein phosphonate group has the structure:



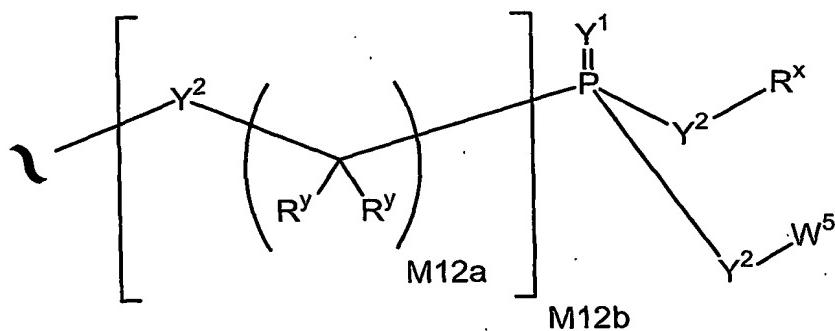
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where W^5 is a carbocycle, and Y^{2c} is O, $N(R^y)$ or S.

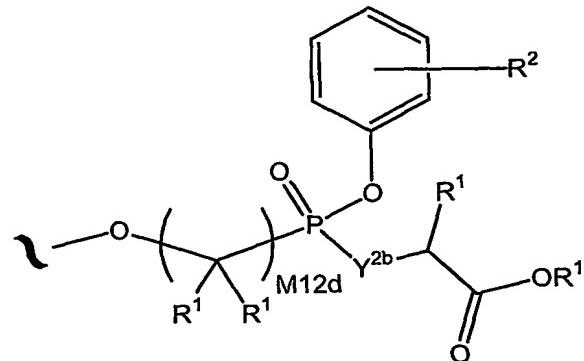
50. The compound of claim 49 wherein W^5 is selected from the structures:



51. The compound of claim 46 wherein phosphonate group has the structure:



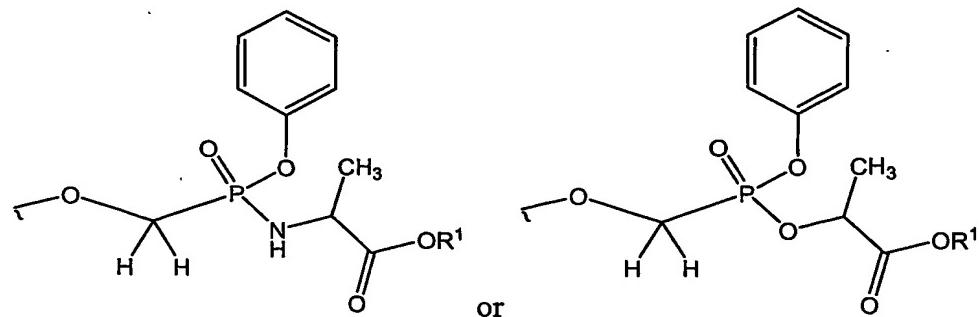
52. The compound of claim 51 wherein phosphonate group has the structure:



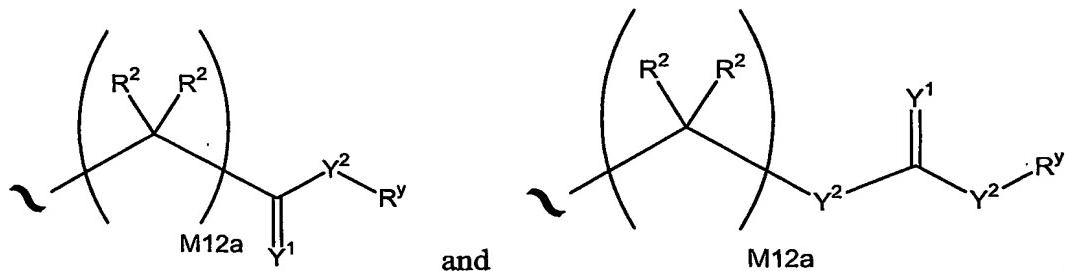
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wherein Y^{2b} is O or $N(R^x)$; M12d is 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 or 8; R^1 is H or C_1-C_6 alkyl; and the phenyl carbocycle is substituted with 0 to 3 R^2 groups where R^2 is C_1-C_6 alkyl or substituted alkyl.

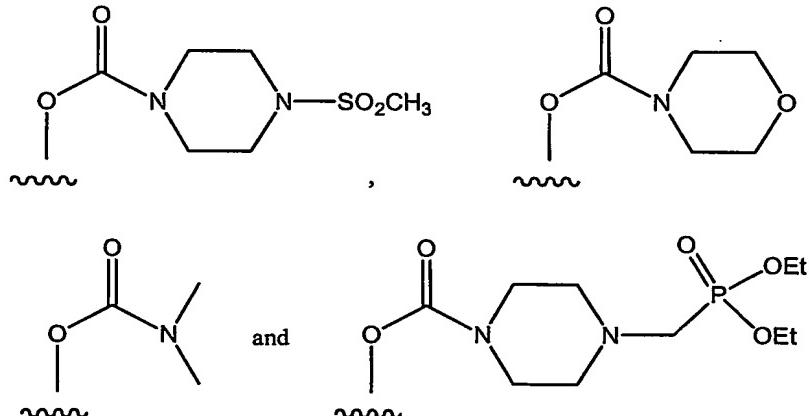
53. The compound of claim 52 wherein phosphonate group has the structure:



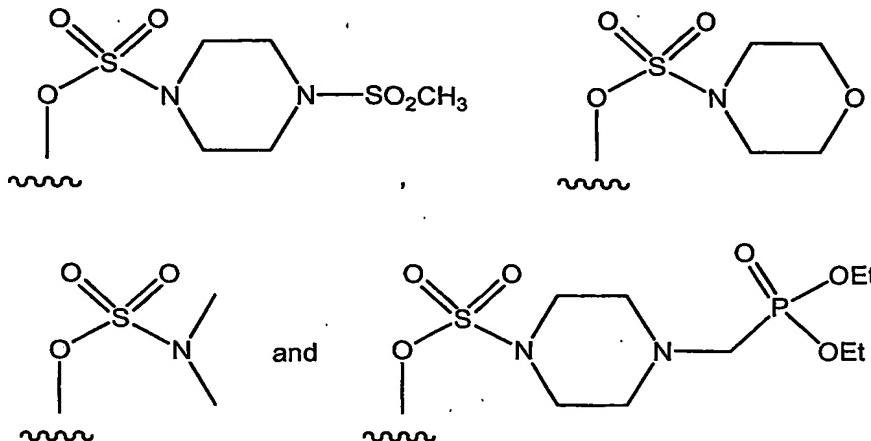
54. The compound of claim 46 wherein R^x is selected from the structures:



55. The compound of claim 54 wherein X^2 is CR^2 and R^2 is selected from the structures:

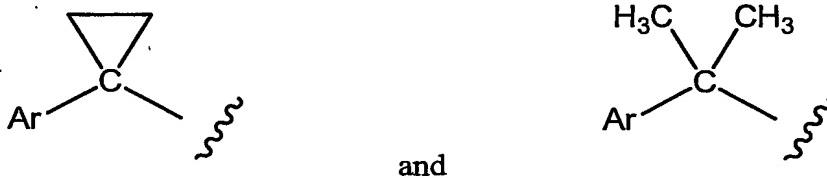


56. The compound of claim 54 wherein X^2 is CR^2 and R^2 is selected from the structures:



57. A compound of claim 30 wherein X^2 is CR^2 and R^2 comprises a phosphonate prodrug moiety.

58. The compound of claim 31 wherein Ar-L is selected from the structures:



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59. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

60. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of claim 1 in combination with a therapeutically effective amount of an AIDS treatment agent selected from:

- (1) an AIDS antiviral agent,
- (2) an anti-infective agent, and
- (3) an immunomodulator.

61. The composition of claim 60 wherein the antiviral agent is an HIV protease inhibitor.

62. A pharmaceutical composition made by combining the compound of claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

63. A process for making a pharmaceutical composition comprising combining a compound of claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

64. A method of inhibiting HIV integrase, comprising the administration to a mammal in need of such treatment of a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of
5 claim 1.

65. A method of treating infection by HIV, or of treating AIDS or ARC, comprising administration to a mammal in need of such treatment of a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of claim 1.